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GENEVA FOR ALDRICH, LOS DELEGATION

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: NATO, PARM
SUBJECT: HUMANITARIAN LAW IN ARMED CONFLICT: PROTOCOLS
- TO THE GENEVA CONVENTIONS

REFS: (A) STATE 98029, (B) GENEVA 5155, (C) USNATO 3692,
- (D) STATE 50654
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1. AT THEIR APRIL 25 MEETING, POLADS AGREED TO JUNE 28
AS OPENING DATE FOR 2-3 DAY LEGAL/POLITICAL EXPERTS
MEETING.
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2. UK REP SAID LONDON LIKED US THOUGHTS ON DRAFT TERMS
OF REFERENCE FOR MEETING (REFS B AND C), AND SAID HE
WOULD CIRCULATE REDRAFT INCLUDING SOME US SUGGESTIONS.
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3. THERE HAS BEEN NO MOVEMENT IN DISCUSSION ON QUESTION
OF MILITARY WORKING GROUP, IN ABSENCE OF FRG CONTRIBU-
TION. WE UNDERSTAND GERMANS HAVE NOT BEEN ABLE TO SUBMIT
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CONTRIBUTION DUE TO DIFFERING VIEWS BETWEEN FOREIGN AND
DEFENSE MINISTRY OFFICIALS ON MILITARY IMPLICATIONS OF
PROTOCOLS. US REP HAS CONTINUED TO DRAW AS APPROPRIATE
ON REF D IN POLADS DISCUSSION OF THIS SUBJECT. BENNETT

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